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FAVORABLE ACTION ON FURNISHING TIES

Cedar People in Mass Meeting
Express Strong Interest in
Railroad Question.

ALSO INVITE AID OF
OTHER TOWNS AFFECTED

Committee of Nine Appointed to Get
Subscriptions to Stock in Iron,
and Adjoining Counties.

That the sentiment of the citizens of Cedar City is practically unanimous in favor of the proposed branch of railroad from Lund to Cedar City, and that the people are willing to do their best in the matter of furnishing ties for the proposed road, was shown by the vote and expressions given at a mass meeting held in the Tabernacle last Tuesday evening and attended by a representative audience of Cedar City citizens.

The mass meeting was originally called for last Friday evening in the Library auditorium, but sufficient notice not having been given to get many out an adjournment was taken to Tuesday evening, with the above mentioned result.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Cedar City Commercial Club, but all citizens were invited to be present and participate in the deliberations. President Parley Dalley of the club presided, and Secretary C. S. Rice preserved a record of the proceedings.

Will Seek Co-operation of Others.

It was the feeling of those present that the other settlements of this county as well as those of eastern Washington county and of Kane county be invited to assist with the furnishing of the ties for the proposed road for stock in the proposed company; but there were those present enthusiastic enough to express themselves that if our neighbors were not willing to assist, then it was up to Cedar City to see it through itself, for the road must be built, unless either the state engineer or the Salt Lake Route go back on their proposition, which is for the state to grade the road, the Salt Lake Route furnish the rails and rolling stock, if the people of this locality will supply the ties.

Committee to Solicit Support and Aid.

A committee composed of nine men was selected to confer with the people of neighboring settlements, both on the north and south, and ascertain their sentiments in relation to the project, as well as to solicit subscriptions to the stock of the company in Cedar City. The personnel of this committee is as follows: Pres. U. T. Jones, chairman; J. P. Fuller, Grönway Parry, S. J. Foster, Drs. A. N. Leonard and M. J. Macfarlane, Robert S. Gardner, H. W. Lunt and C. S. Wilkinson. This committee will be divided in pairs and sent to meet with the people of the neighboring towns, and are to be ready to make a report within ten days of the last meeting.

There seemed to be no division of opinion as to whether the building of the road should be encouraged and fostered, though some of the citizens were a little more pessimistic than others in regard to what we were in a position to do in the matter of furnishing ties for the road; all seemed willing and anxious, however, to do as much as their circumstances would permit.

Request Moving of Poles from Center.

At the adjourned meeting held in the Library auditorium Friday night a committee consisting of Robert S. Gardner, Chas. G. Y. Higgins and C. S. Wilkinson was appointed to investigate the feasibility of moving the light and telephone poles from the center of Main street to the side, and the meeting in the Tabernacle Tuesday evening. This matter came up at the request of State Engineer Beers, who has been waiting to grade and surface the street in good shape as a part of the state highway, when the people have removed the poles or decided that they wish them to remain there permanently. The committee, by its chairman Mr. Gardner, reported as far as obtainable the feelings of the interested companies having franchises for the use of the street, and also the at-

titude of the mayor and city council on the question, with their own recommendation that the poles be moved. The report of the committee was adopted, and a resolution passed asking the city council to proceed to have the poles moved as early as practicable.

It appears on investigation that the state engineer has an appropriation or fund available for the grading and improvement of this street, if it can be applied during the present year, but which if not used this year will revert to another fund, and it is therefore desirable that the work be commenced as early as possible.

HALLOWE'EEN BALL.

On Wednesday night, October 27th, a big Halloween ball will be given in the ward hall by all the Mutuals of the Cedar East and West wards, and to which a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

The regular price of admission will be charged, and the proceeds will go to assist the Mutual Improvement cause.

A special feature of the entertainment will be an illustration of some of the latest and most popular dances by Miss Geroldine Knowles of California.

Not an Exclusive Club.

For some unaccountable reason the idea has gone out among some of the ladies of the city that the Home Economic association is an exclusive club, and only a few are invited to join. Before the work for this year began the membership committee canvassed the town and invited all ladies to join. In some instances they were not at home, but an effort was made to get them by telephone. All who desired to become members have been enrolled in the Year Book, and they have received invitations to attend the annual entertainment of the club to be held in the evening of October 29, at the B. A. C., beginning at 8 o'clock. All ladies of town are most cordially invited to join us in this party, the fee of fifty cents being charged all ladies who have not yet become members and received their year books.

This fee entitles all ladies to all club privileges, and they become full-fledged members. It is desired that this fee be paid to the secretary, Mrs. R. L. Wrigley, by the middle of next week, that being an answer to the invitation to the party. This is quite necessary in order that the committee on refreshments and arrangements may complete their work.

We most certainly desire all the ladies of town and their partners to be present.

Come one and all in one big host, For here you may meet witch and ghost.

City Vacancies are Filled.

In the hurry of getting to press last week a number of items were forgotten that should have been mentioned. Among others the changes that have recently taken place in the city's official family. Marshal Alfred Froyd has resigned and gone into the sheep business, and Andrew Hansen has been appointed in his stead to fill the unexpired term. Herbert Haight resigned his position as city recorder, and J. H. Arthur was appointed for the balance of the term.

Presbyterian Mission Services.

Next Sunday's services will be held as follows:

Preaching service at Cedar City at 8 p. m. The subject of the sermon will be "Loyalty to Christ."

Sunday School and preaching service at Parowan beginning at 10:30 a. m. The subject of the sermon will be "Loyalty to Christ."

Should Have Had Tourist Travel.

John P. Fuller of this place accompanied S. A. Halterman of Parowan to Kanab last week in Mr. Halterman's Dodge demonstrating car. They returned last Saturday afternoon, making the trip from Kanab to Cedar City in eight hours, and coming through the Short Creek sand, a feat believed by car men to be impossible. The car negotiated the sandy roads in fine shape, both gentlemen reported. It is a shame, Mr. Fuller said, that we have not been sending tourists thru the Grand Canyon all summer. \$500 worth of work would place the lower road in condition for automobiles to spin right along at 30 miles an hour, or to make the run from Cedar City to the Grand Canyon in a day, and back the next if the tourist wished to.

POSITION OF CANDIDATES CHANGES

Mrs. Margaret Pryor is Now Leading the Race by a Margin of Over 2,000 Votes, Mrs. J. David Leigh Steps Up to Second Place and Blanch C. Jones, Heretofore the Leading Candidate, Drops Down to Third—Maud A. Benson of Parowan and Alonzo Dalton of Hurricane Each Make a Small Gain, While Other Candidates Make No Change.

STANDING OF THE CANDIDATES.

Mrs. Margaret Pryor, Cedar City	18,900
Mrs. J. David Leigh, Lund, Utah	16,570
Blanch C. Jones, Cedar City	14,440
Miss Adrean Simkins, Cedar City	5,650
Alonzo Dalton, Hurricane, Utah	5,330
Miss Maud Benson, Parowan, Utah	3,530
Mrs. Fannie R. Jones, Cedar City	1,220
Mrs. Archie Spillsbury, Toquerville, Utah	750

We certify the above count to be correct.

JOHN P. FULLER,
M. D. HIGBEE,
S. J. FOSTER,

Judges on the Contest.

While interest in The Record's voting contest is gradually increasing, it is apparent from the vote published above that some of the candidates are not working as energetically as they ought, if they expect to be seriously in the race for the car. It is now a month since the contest commenced, and yet an expenditure of \$63 for new subscriptions to The Record would yield as many votes as are credited to the leading candidate. Unless the nominees make faster progress than this, about the end of the contest some dark horse is likely to bob up with two or three hundred dollars' worth of new subscriptions and walk off with the car. The way to avoid this possibility is by earnest and persistent work to carry the vote beyond the reach of any such candidate.

WHEN CONTEST WILL CLOSE.

Because of this lethargy on the part of candidates, during the early period of the contest, we have, with the sanction of the Judges and a majority of the candidates, fixed the date of closing the Contest definitely and unalterably for

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and the count will be made four days later, permitting all letters postmarked up to and including the 10th, containing votes of remittances entitling to votes, to participate in the final count. The date first announced was more or less tentative, and no further extension will now be made.

SPECIAL WEEKLY PRIZES.

Beginning with next Friday, and until further notice, we offer a weekly cash prize of \$5.00 for the candidate having the highest number of votes at the time the official count is made by the judges on the morning of the day of publication of the paper. This is in addition to the cash prizes already advertised, and will have no bearing upon the award of prizes at the close of the contest. It will serve as expense money for the hardest working candidate as he or she goes along. Now, who is going to draw down the first Five Spot?

From now on the race is going to be spirited, and any person entertaining thoughts of entering at this time, had best not delay any longer. Sample copies of The Record and copies of our subscription list will be furnished to candidates upon request.

PETER FROYD IS CALLED BY DEATH

Old and Respected Citizen of Cedar
City Finds Relief from Long Ill-
ness in Last Sleep.

Yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock the grim reaper called and gathered in to the ranks of the "great majority" Peter Froyd, an aged and respected citizen of Cedar City, who has been a patient sufferer for nearly two years from old age and general debility. The funeral is being held this afternoon at 2 o'clock as we are preparing to go to press.

Peter Johnson Froyd was born Mar. 3rd, 1838, in Skabersjö, Sweden. He joined the Latter-day Saints church in his native land about 1868, and emigrated to America in 1880, coming direct to Cedar City, where he arrived in August of that year. He has been a devoted Church member ever since, and has always enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the community.

His family consists of two sons, Alfred and Henry, both of whom reside here. He also had two stepdaughters, one of whom died a couple of years ago in Rockford, Ill. The other is Mrs. Bengta Adams of Cedar City. These, with two sisters who are still in Sweden, are all the relatives he has, so far as known.

His last illness was a tedious and protracted one, but he was patient and uncomplaining through it all, and seemed anxious to give as little trouble and inconvenience as possible. For more than a year he has been with his son Alfred and family.

Imlay Sells Flock of Sheep.

J. Wilson Imlay of Hurricane was in Cedar City yesterday morning en route home from Lund, where he had been to deliver a herd of sheep which he recently disposed of. Asked his reason for selling stock sheep at this time, Mr. Imlay replied: "Well, you see I was hiring some money, and while I was not being crowded for it, I thought it was a good time to reduce the number of my sheep and settle up. I prefer to sell sheep when they are \$6 per head to when they are \$3, and I look for a big slump any time when the European war should come to an end."

Of course, Mr. Imlay is not going out of the sheep business. He still has one herd and in addition about 500 head of blooded stuff to which he is adding from time to time. Only a few days since he bought four of what he considers the best Ramboulette rams in Parowan, which is about equivalent to saying in the United States, as Parowan enjoys a wide reputation for the quality of its blooded sheep.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

As announcement was made in The Record last week of my intention to remove to the northern end of the state, I take this means of letting my friends and patrons know that since the last issue of the paper came out, I have changed my plans and will now be located permanently in Cedar City, with office and residence as usual in the Knell block. I wish also to express my gratitude for the many kind messages, written and spoken, that the last two weeks have brought forth and to say to the friends that their love and appreciation are entirely reciprocated.

DR. M. J. MACFARLANE.

MUNICIPAL PARTIES NAME CANDIDATES

Three Tickets are Placed Before
the Voters of Cedar City
for Consideration.

NUMBER DECLINE THE
OFFERED NOMINATIONS

Republicans, Democrats and Socialists
All Met Saturday Evening and
Formulated their Tickets.

The three local political parties—Republicans, Democrats and Socialists—held their precinct primaries last Saturday evening and each nominated a city ticket to be voted for at the coming election, November 2nd. Republican Party Ticket.

The Republicans held their primary in the Library auditorium, and nominated the following ticket:

For Mayor—Richard A. Thorley.
For Councilman, 4-yr. term—Dr. A. N. Leonard.

For Councilmen, 2-yr. term—M. D. Higbee, Dr. Robert A. Thorley and H. H. Lunt.

Recorder—J. H. Arthur.
Treasurer—S. J. Foster.

Democratic Party Ticket.

The Democratic party placed the following ticket before the voters of Cedar City for their consideration at the polls Nov. 2:

For Mayor—J. M. B. Higbee.
For long term Councilman—Parley Dalley.

For short term Councilmen—Robert S. Gardner, William H. Corry, H. L. Jones.

Recorder—Maeser Dalley.
Treasurer—E. M. Corry.

Socialist Party Ticket.

The local Socialist party nominated the following ticket:

For Mayor—George Urie.
For long term Councilman—Daniel T. Leigh.

Short term Councilman—O. P. Fretwell, Thomas S. Bladen, Albert F. Gower.

Recorder—Joseph G. Stevenson.
Treasurer—Gomer Coslett.

Committees on Election.

The Republicans appointed the following committee of three to take charge of the registration of voters and to have charge of the republican interests on election day: J. G. Pace, Randall L. Jones and R. H. Palmer.

And as a committee to fill vacancies occurring on the ticket prior to the election: John P. Fuller, John H. Corry and George H. Wood.

The Democrats named as a committee on registration and election: Walter Granger, Samuel F. Leigh and R. S. Gardner.

Since the election the republican nominees for mayor and treasurer, and the democratic nominee for treasurer, have all resigned from the tickets, and the vacancies will have to be held by appointment.

Delighted With California.

Superintendent M. D. Higbee of the Cedar Sheep Association, who with a party of five returned from the California Expositions last Saturday, is enthusiastic over the shows as well as California in general. "We enjoyed every minute of the time while we were away," said Mr. Higbee to our reporter, "and nothing better than a 100-mile cruise along the coast on the ocean. I gained seven pounds in weight and never felt better in my life." E. M. Corry, assistant cashier of the Bank of Southern Utah, who was also with the Higbee party at the Expositions, reports that the expositions are simply great, and that he and Mrs. Corry had a very pleasant trip.

Haws Horses Win at Kanab.

Principally all of the horse races at Kanab during the Kane county fair which closed there last week, were won by the horses of John F. Haws, of Boulder, Garfield county.

"Brady" was the name of the sorrel that won the races five-eighths of a mile and under, and "Joe" a bay horse won everything five-eighths mile and over. Had not Red Cloud met a sudden and expected death, the latter horse would have had a formidable rival for the long distance races.

Mr. Chambers of Kanab trained the Haws horses.

HURRICANE AND TOQUER WILL HELP SUPPLY TIES

Dr. A. N. Leonard and John P. Fuller, who were assigned the task of visiting Hurricane and Toquerville and soliciting their aid and co-operation in the furnishing of ties for the projected railroad from Lund as far as Cedar City, met the people of those settlements Wednesday afternoon and evening, returning at the close of the evening meeting in Hurricane. They were enthusiastic over the reception given them by the people of those settlements, and announce that they are with us in this undertaking, not only to a man, but we also have the profound interest and support of the women and children.

President H. H. Wilkinson of the Hurricane Commercial Club circulated the news of the railroad meeting, and there was a rousing turnout. Everybody was enthused with the prospect of getting the road this much closer to them and agreed to do all that their circumstances would warrant in the matter of furnishing ties for the road.

In speaking of the matter after his return from the Dixie settlements, and knowing the sentiment of the people here, Mr. Fuller of the Golden Rule Store, remarked: "All that we want is the assurance of the Salt Lake Route and the State Engineer that the road will be built within a reasonable time, if the people will furnish the ties, and we can get the necessary stock subscribed in a week."

Other members of the committee of nine have been assigned to visit St. George, Parowan, Harmony, Kanarra, and other settlements, but have either not filled the appointments yet or have not yet reported.

BRANCH A. C. NOTES.

The newly-elected officers of the B. A. C. city have taken the oath of office and the government is in full running order once more.

The prospects are good for a championship basketball team this year. Four of the men from the old team are back and there are several new ones who will undoubtedly strengthen the team so that it will be hard to beat.

Coach Christensen, who has been away for some time, is expected back soon, when work on the track and in the gym will begin in earnest. The boys are training for the inter-class track meet, which will be held early this season.

The Sophomore class let their class spirit run away with them one night last week and the result was a red flag floating from the smoke stack, and numerous '18's adorning the fences of the town. Too much class spirit like dangerous animals should be kept in leash.

Last Chapel day we were given a real treat. Ellen Nelson and Pratt Tollestrup played a four-handed selection on the piano, entitled, "Poet and Peasant." Principal Homer talked to the students about the duty of the students to the institution. He impressed upon the students that flag rushes should be carried on out of doors and not in the halls of the buildings.

Fall Fractures Collar Bone.

Last Monday evening Master Frank Kopp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Kopp of this city, fell while at play and fractured his collar bone. Dr. Leonard was called in and soon reduced the fracture and the lad is now doing as well as could be hoped or expected under the circumstances.

Mrs. George W. Middleton and three little boys of Salt Lake City are in Cedar visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

F. A. Stump of Los Angeles, who is interested with Dr. Green in his coal properties, is doing some work in this locality and states that they will soon have things moving, and have the property on a paying basis.

R. H. McBride of Paragonah passed through Cedar City yesterday en route home from Kanab, where he went to enter Red Cloud, the Spillsbury horse, in the county fair races at that place. When within eleven miles of Kanab, at Johnson's the valuable animal lay down in his stall and died, thus adding another disaster and disappointment to Mr. McBride in his racing operations this year. "If we only could see into the future and know what is in store for us," said Mr. McBride, "our lives might be ordered quite differently."